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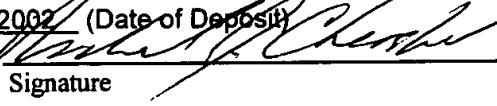
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RESPONSE
TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the December 18, 2001 restriction requirement in this matter, the applicant **hereby elects Group I**, without traverse.

In addition, the Applicant cancels the claims designated as Group II, without prejudice.

Applicant further elects protein species "antibody constant domains" as recited in original claim 9. As to the peptide, Applicant elects FTLTISS, as recited in original claim 13. This election of specific protein and peptide is made **with traverse**.

In light of the foregoing, the claims that read on the elected protein are claims 1, 2, 4-8, 10, 11, and 13. The claims that read on the elected peptide are claims 1-12.